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Business Notices.

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MAVE JUST RECEIVED THEIR TAIRST DELIVERIES OF LACE and COLOURED CURTAINS AND "ART MUSLINS FOR SUMMER USE, which they are offering at Extraordinary

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

Complete House Furnishers.

Hongkong, April 26, 1890.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

JUST. RECEIVED

TCE CREAM FREEZERS. ICE PITOHERS.

ICE HAMMERS. GLASS AND EARTHENWARE FILTERS.

W. POWELL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANCE, April 19, 1890.

HOTEL. [1] HE Undersigned begate notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May.

THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL Is situated on the Praya, West, opposite the OLD P. & O. WHARF, and is newly built after the designs of the LARGEST EUROPEAN HOTELS- he BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commodious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour.

The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide. The BAR and BILLIARD ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted p in superior style. ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. WINES and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore begs the patronage of the Public, hoping to give every

JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. 521 sitisfaction. Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters,

GOODS. NEW

| NEW FELT HATS (latest styles). LSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES. CRESTERFIELD and Covert COATS. DRIB SHELL HATS. CHEVIOT and SAXONY SUITINGS.

Single and Double TERAI HATS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS. BOOTS and SHOES RACING COLORS. GENT'S DRESS SHIRTS. RIDING BREECHES. GENT'S UNDERCLOTHING. LADIES' HABITS. LADIES' JACKETS.

TRAVELLING RUGS and MAUDS. GLADSTONE BAGS. - LADIES' ULSTERS. PORTMANTEAUS.

Wictoria Elotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

Mills Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within tive minutes' walk of the principal Government Officer (including the Post Office), Banks, &o , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horas in the place. 1-That the Capital of the Hongkong and The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. creased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

large DINING HALL. £42 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay The HOTEL also contains handsome and confertable Reception, Reading, BILLIAND and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

Mosers. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors.

1st May.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. Directors for that purpose, be disposed THE KWOON KWAN YEEN CHAL-LENGE CUPS. The SECOND STAGE of the Elenra COMPETITION will take discretion they shall think best in the place on SATURDAY NEXT, 3rd May, at 2.30 p.m. Firing to commence at 700

3-That payment of the sum of £42 10s. per Yards. Distance 700, 800 and 900 Yards: C. VIVIAN LADDS, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, April 28, 1890.

THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED. THE DIRECTORS Require, immediately the Services of a thoroughly Competent MANAGER, for their FLOATING. every person who shall produce three | HOTEL in Hongkong Harbour. Nautical experience, though advantageou.

> stating Salary and giving References, to J. A. BARRETTO. Sceretary.

Beaconsfield Arcade. Hongkong, April 26, 1890.

HONGKONG ATHLETIC CLUB.

T the General MEETING held on the

pre- 16th Instant, under the presidency of scribe, to be registered as the Holders H. E. THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE of the Shares rep esented by such GOVERNMENT, the following Resolutions were passed :--. lat-That the Hongkong Athletic Club culars may be obtained from Messrs. KELLY be, and the same is, hereby formed.

2nd-That H. E. The Governor for the time being of the Colony, be President. 3rd-That the Hon. A. P. MacEwen be Vice President. 4th-That the duty of proparing draft Roles and Regulations be entrusted to Mr.

be called to consider and approve such Rules, and appoint Officers. local papers inviting Gentlemen who wish to become Members to send their name to Mr. Young without

being elected Members of this Clob, and it Sub-section VIII of the Articles of Associais hoped that the Community will give the tion, the Board will raus the necessary Reinstitution their energetic support. W. H. YOUNG.

Hon. Sec, pro tem. Hongkong, April 17, 1860.

Auctions.

日二十月三年寅庚

PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

the 3rd May, 1890, commencing at 2.30

A QUANTITY OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, 110.m. (the Property of Gentlemen leaving the Colony) and comprising:-

CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, ENGLISH-MADE MARBLE-TOP TABLES, CHIPPENDALE MIRRORS, PICTURES, LAMPS, CARPETS, RUGS, CUTTAGE PIANO, &c., &c., TEAR EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CHAIRS, SIDEBOARD WITH PLATE GLASS BACK, CARD TABLES, WHATNOTS, ORCCKERY, GLASS AND PLATE WARE, CUTLERY, &c., IRON BED-STEADS with PATENT SPRING and HAIR MAT-TRESSES. LADIES' WARDRODES with PLATE GLASS DOORS, MARBLE-TOP WASHINGSTAND, DRESSING TABLES, BUREAU, CHESTS of

G. R. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 28, 1890.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TUESDAY, 735 | the 6th May, 1890, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-

> TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING-BOOM SUITE. MARBLE-TOP ROUND CENTRE TABLE, BEVIELED GLASS MANTEL-PIECE MIRRORS. PICTURES and OUNAMENTS.

> DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD with GLASS-BACK, CHEFFONIER, WHATNOTS, TEAKWOOD DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, DINNEB, DESSERT and BREAKFAST SETS; GLASS and PLATED WARE. BRASS MOUNTED, WAEDROBES with BEVIL LED GLASS-DOORS. CHEST OF DRAWERS, LADIES' DAVENFORT, TOFLET TABLE with BEVILLED GLASS and MARBLE-TOP WASH-

& Sons. ONE JINRICKSHA.

&O. . TERMS OF SALE. - As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

FOR SALE.

AT THE PEAK. 'THE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28.at present let on Lease for one year,

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hongkong, November 12, 1889.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of BIRLEY & Co. at this Port has ceased to exist, and the GOODWILL and Business of the same has been handed over to and will, henceforth, be conducted by Messrs. HERBERT DENT

Canton, 15th March, 1893.

DEFERRING to the above all Amounts due to, and owing by BIRLEY & Co. will be settled by

KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS. Canton, 15th March, 1800.

AR. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS. has joined our Firm from this date, and is

authorised to Sign the Name of the Firm,

Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

signees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being lauded at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG &-KOWLOON WHARP & GODOWN Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before p.m. To-bay. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all laims for damages and/or shortages no! ater than the 8th May, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, April 23, 1890.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

TAIWANFOO.

Captain HUNTER, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 1st May, at

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY. (alling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Gwalier. Capt. F. Cole, will leave

DAY, the 1st May, 1890. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL.

Patroclus. Capt. POLYORD, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 2nd May, at Daylight.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Co. 8 Steamsmp

Tsinan,

W. N. Azlison, Commander, will be despatch-The Co.'s Steamship

to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabina are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Agents. Hongkong, April 18, 1890.

FASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

The Steamship Captain Chaig, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 3rd May, at 3

Hongkong, April 28, 1890.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.) STRAM FOR SINGAPORE. PENANG & BOMBAY.

Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and OENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN. ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and South AMERI-CAN FORTS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. The Co.'s Steamship

De Neori, Master, will be despatched as above on At Bombay the Steamers are discharging in Victoria Dook. For further Particulars regarding Freight

and Passage, apply to OARLOWITZ & Co.,

Hongkong, April 28, 1890.

Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK.

The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque Patagonia. HIBBET, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship William B. Macy. AINSBURT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, March 12, 1: 90. Not Responsible for Debts.

any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, dwing their stay in Hongkony Harbour sand C. C. CHAPMAN, American ship, Capt, A. J. Hickborn. - Tong Sang Wo. Endouv, American barque, Captain Robt.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

E. Rodick .- Gibb Livingston & Co. Lyle, - Onplain War. H. Maor, American ship, Capt. J.

779 A. Amabury. -Order.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12; Clement's STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Gotoh, Ladgate Circus, E.C. Bates Hendy & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. Samuer Deacon & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151,

Cannon Street; E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 16). Flest Street. PARIS AND EUROPE: -AMEDEE PRINCE. 36. Rue Lafanette. Paris.

NEW YORK: - J. STEWART HAPPER, THE CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West 22d Street. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BEAN & BLACK, San E an-

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :-- GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney. DEYLON :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo. INGAPORE STRAITS, &c.: Sivie &

Co., Square, Singapore. C. HEINEZEN & Co., Manila. CHINA:-Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. Swatore, Quelon & Co. Amoy, N. Moalle. Foochow. HEDGE & Co. Shanghai. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CRAW-

FORD & Co., and KELLY & Co. 2 Banks.

NOTICE. TOULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS BANK 1.-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their promises in Hongkong. Business hours

on week-days. 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4. -- Interest at the rate of 31 per cont. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances.

are necessary.

cented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make, of five dollars and upwards are sent freight any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and, begin-6. - Correspondence as to the business of

by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. .-Withdrawals may be made on deniand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book

the Bank if marked On Houskong

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPOBATION, G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....\$7,500,000 RESERVE FUND,.....\$4,600,000

Hongkong, January 1, 1889.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000 PRISTORS..... COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-H. L. DALBYMPLE, Esq. Deputy Chairman-J. S. Moses, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwen. W. H. Foress, Esq. | S. C. Michaelsen, H. Hoppius, Esq.

ALEX. McConachie, D. R. Sassoon, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER Hongkong G. E. Noble, Esq. MANAGER.

Shanghal JOHN WALTER, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS.-London and County

Hon. J. J. KESWICE. L. POESNECKER, Esq.

BankHONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Doposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per summ.

On Fixed Deposits :--

ing the following Numbers :-4 per cent. ii 5 par cent. " LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and cilef Commercial places in Europe, India,

Australia. America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 3, 1890.

Intimations. PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the PEAR HOTEL & TRADING COMPANY, LINITED, will NOT, on or after the 1st day of May, 189), be ANSWERABLE for or PAY ANY DEBTS or ACCOUNTS, unless the orders for the applies be signed by the Secretary to the Company for the time being.

By Order of the Board of Directors, J. WHEELEY. Dated 21st April, 180).

THE MARINBURK FURNITURE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Office is hereby given that a CALL of TEN DOLLARS (810) per SHARE is Payable on or before the 10th May, 1890. to the Company's Bankers, the Hongkond AND SHANGHAI BARKING CORPORATION, By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, April 16, 1800.

S. WATSON & Co., Limited,

(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

Intimations.

SEED

BY APPOINTMENT.

Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTICAL. FAMILY, DISPENSING AND GENERAL CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS. PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS. SEEDSMEN. WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS

CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS BY STEAM MACHINERY. PHOTOGRAPHIC DRY PLATES.

Apparatus, Chemicals, and Materials of all kinds suitable for Amsteurs and Professionals, at Moderate Prices. We beg to state that we import Drugs, Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best

description only-no other quality is kept in Our long experience and intimate acquaintance with the Trade, and the best sources supply, enable us to purchase direct from the Producers on the very best terms, and thus give us an advantage which enables us to offer our constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction in the price of all our Specialties as compared with similar articles sold elsewhere. We wish it to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm in the Colony; and we trust it will soon become generally known that, quality for quality,

our charges all round compare favourably with local rates, and in most instances with those ruling at home. Experienced qualified English Assistants

ONLY are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines. GOODS FOR COAST PORTS Whenever practicable, are despatched by 5 .- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis, first steamer leaving after receipt of order. with a Pass-Book which must be pre- Most articles can now be sent by the local Parcel Post. All retail orders of the value

or postage paid.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LD. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. HUNGKONG.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.

grain receive prompt attention.

Orders through Local Post or by Tele

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI, 24. Nankin Road.

. Botica Ingleza, MANILA,

THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON, Canal Road. THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

Escolta, 14.

LONDON OFFICE, 106, Fenchurch street, E.C. Bongkong, April 16, 1890.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN. .

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1889 has This Day beef seclared. WARRANTS may be had on application at the above Office on and after the 1st

Proximo. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSUBANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, April 16, 1890.

THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given to Holders of SHARES in the above Company bear-

484; 511/520, 561/565, 571/580, 611/620, 681/690, 771/785, 791/810, 961/990, 1021/1040. 1071/1080. 1186/1190. 1206/1210, 1225/1226 and 1229/1230 on which the Second Call of \$50 per share, due 31st July, 1889, is still unpaid, and that unless the said Call, with Interest at the rate of 9 per cent, per annum, be PAID to the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Con-PORATION, or the GENERAL MANAGERS at the

Company's Office, Nos. 50 & 52, Queen's Road Central, on or BEFORE THE 17TH MAY. 1890, the Shares will be liable to be forfeited. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, April 24, 1890,

ARS. FALCONER has VACANCIES for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS at Kowloon. Kowloon, 5th February, 1890. NOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY

MEETING.

THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED. OTICE is hereby g ven that an EX-TRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the above-named Company, Queen's Road Central, No. 9. Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of Blay, 1890, at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purp se of Confirming the Special Resolution proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Share-holders held on the 21st Instant. A full and complete Copy of the Resolu-

tion passed at such Meeting may be seen on

REUTER BR CKELMANN & Co.,

General Managere.

application at the Company's Office.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1890.

Intimations.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

No. 31. THAVE This Day handed over Charge of this OPPICE and the Kowloon STATIONS to Mr. J. McLEAVY BROWN, the newly appointed Commissioner of Cus-

TOMS for Kowloon and District. F. A. MORGAN, Commissioner of Chinese Customs. CUSTOM HOUSE.

Kowloon, 29th April, 1890. HAVE This Day assumed CHARGE of this Office and the Kowloon Stations J. McLEAVY BROWN. Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.

Kowloop, 29th April, 1890. HONGKONG HOTEL.

CUSTOM HOUSE.

NOTICE. MAR. and MRS. TUCKER (from the ADELPHI HOTEL, Liverpool), have been appointed MANAGER and MATRON of the Hotel from this date.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

R. LYALL, Secretary. Hongkong April 29, 1890 TTONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-

WAYS COMPANY, LTD. SUMMER TIME TABLE. (To take effect from 1st May.) WEEK DAYS. 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. 12(noon): 1 p.m. n n

1 p.m. ii 2 p.m. ii half hour.

THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. CHURCH TRAMS at 10.40 a.m. 12 (noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 4 p.m. 11 8 p.m. 11 9 p.ni., 10 p.m., 10.30 p.m., 11 p.m. Special CARS may be obtained on appli-

Single Tickets are sold in the Cars: Five-

4 p.m. n 8 p.m. n quarter of an hour.

Cent Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the MACEWEN. FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong: April 29, 1890.

cation to the SUPERINTENDENT.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that the Second Ordinary MEETING will take place at HAIPHONG, on the 5TH MAY, 1890.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

SOCIÉTÉ FRANCAISE DES HOUIL

LERIES DE TOURANE.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. OTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, at Noon, for the purpose of considering, and if approved, of passing the

following Resolutions :-

by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of for their allotments at the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on London. 2-That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May, 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders, and that any New Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the

Shanghai Banking Corporation be in-

of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their interest of the Company. share for each of the said New Shares | Fifteen Shots at each. be made as follows, viz :---£10 12s. 6d. on the 30th of June. 1890 £10 12s. 6d. ,, 30th ,, Sept., , , 31st . Dec. . £10 12s. 6d. ,, 31st , March, 1891 -That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such

such Fractional Certificates on or before the 30th June, 1890, and pay the first is not a necessary qualification. Apply, instalment in respect thereof. That after payment of the first instalment and pauding payment of the future instalments, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be assued in respect of such New Shares. entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as to approval, dite for lodging Scrip Certificates, and Otherwise as the Directors may

multiple, and allot one new share to

Scrip Certificates respectively. -That interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum (free of income tax) be allowed out of the profits of the Com pany on all instalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th June, 1899 Holders of Scrip Certificates be entitled to participate in future dividends, in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other Shareholders of the Company. -That interest at the rate of 8 per cent

per annum be charged on every instal-

ment which shall not be punctually

paid, and be paid with such instal-

That all moneys received from premiums

Hongkong, April 8, 1892,

on the said New Shares be added to the Reserve Fund. For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. WADE GARDINER. Acting Chief Manager.

Intimations.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED, NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS N Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1889, has been declared.

By Order of the Board, N. J. EDE, Secretary. Hongkong, April 16, 1890. H. FOURNIER & Co.

Apply to

& Walsh, Limited.

Hongkong, April 24, 1890.

the 15th DAY OF MAY NEXT, for the PUR-CHASE in One Lot of the STOCK-IN-TRADE, GOODWILL and BOOK DESTS of the Firm H. FOURNIER & Co., of Queen's Road. For Inventory and other Particulars,

MENDERS will be Received at the

REGISTRY of the Supreme Court until

EDW. J. ACKROYD.

Official Administrator.

LESSONS IN PAINTING. MR. STANLEY SETON, who has had many 'yeara' experience of Teaching both at Home and in the East, is prepared to give LESSONS is OIL and WATER-COLOUR PAINTING. Terms and Parti-

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING

COMPANY LIMITED. Young, and that a subsequent Meeting NTOTICE is hereby given to HOLDERS of FHARES in the above Company on which Calls are still unpaid, that unless said 5th—That a notification be published in the Calls with INTEREST at the Rate of 12 % per Annum, from the due dates are PAID on of before the loth pay of May next. at the Company's OFFICES, 6, Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such The Undersigned will be pleased to re- Calls were made will be liable to be forfeitceive the names of Gentlemon desirous of ed, and under the Provisions of Article X

solutions for the forfeiture of the said Shares.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 28, 1890.

SATURDAY, p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-

DRAWERS. The above will be on view on Friday TERMS OF SALE .- As customary.

INHE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :--

DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BEDSTEADS, A COTTAGE PIANO, by J. BROADWOOD

SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by COLLARD & COLLARD, Made expressly for the

A Well-built SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, For full Particulars, apply to

Notices of Firms.

& Co., of Canton and Macao. BIRLEY & Co. WARRANTS may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after the

NOTICE. VI late of Messrs. Birley & Co., Canton,

HERBERT DENT & Co. Canton, 15th March, 1890.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. TIHE Steamship Glenfa'lock having ar-1 rived from the above Ports. Con-

ist May will be subject to rent.

Steamers.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

for the above places at Noon, on THURS-

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

The Co.'s Steamship

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

ed as above at Daylight, on SATURDAY, the 3rd Proximo. The attention of Passengers is directed

LIMITED. FOR KOBE (DIRECT).

· For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Having connection with Company's Mail

TUESDAY, the 6th May, at Noon;

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1890. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

RUSSELL & Co.

A Inther the Captain, the Agents, nor I Owners will be Responsible for D. T. TENERY American abin Capt. D.

J. MARINBURK,

Manager.

Marseilles, Messra F. Bastaraiche (Chief of

Spanish Naval Commission), M. Toenos

(Spanish Navy), H.E. Raphael, d'Andrade

(Governor of Timor), Revs. J. M. Quin-

tão and A. F. Rodriguez, Mears J. Car-

Brunat, Mrs Ahrens, Miss Burroughes

Por Benlawers, for Saigon, 12 Chinese.

SIMPPING REPORTS.

ports: Left Singapore April 23rd 5 p m.;

had light variable winds, calms and fine

The American steamer City of Pcking re-

p.m., had moderate Westerly winds the

first 5 days, then for 6 days moderate strong

wind, backing from S.E. to N.N.E., with

rough sea, misty and overcast weather.

The last 6 days had variable winds from

South and S. W., with rough sea. Arrived

at Yokohama on the 22nd at 9.30 p.m.

passage time 16 days, 6 hours, 39 minutes;

her best trip to the Westward by 12 hours

and 36 minutes. Sailed from Yokohama

April 24th, 4.2) n.m., the first 24 hours S.W. gale with rough sea, fine weather

through the Van Dieman Straits; thence

calm weather and dense fog to the Brothers.

remainder fine weather. Arrived Hong-

kong April 30th, 5.46 a.m. Beating her

best time to Hongkong by 15 hours, 38

N.E. and East winds, and fine weather.

Per Cass, for Amoy, 12 Chinese.

field and Fergusson.

To Let.

TO BE LET. THRST FLOOR of No. 3, BLUE BUILDINGS. - From 1st June. Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, April 29, 1890.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED. (With Immediate Possession.)

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE at the PRAK. Apply to

DENNYS & MOSSOP, '49 d 51, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, April 29, 1890. HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LAD.

TO LET. THAT Suite of OFFICES on the FIRST From of the Company's Premises in

ICE HOUSE LANE, at present occupied by Messrs, Holliday, Wise & Co., with entrance from Queen's Road. Possession from 1st March next. TWO GODOWNS on the GROUND FLOOR

which can be let in connection with the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, above Office, or separat ly as desired. With immediate possession, ONE ROOM on the Finst Floor of the same Premises, suitable for an OFFICE, with entrance

from the South side of the Building. For Full Particulars, apply to the MANA GER at the Depôt, or to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, January 27, 1890.

TO LET.

TOOMS in 'College Cuapters.' No. 9. SEYMOUR TERRAUE. STONEHENGE, ROBINSON ROAD, from

No. 5, PEDDER'S HILL, from 1st May. DAVID SASSOON. SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1890,

TO LET-AT THE PEAK.

UNNOTTAR, R.B. Lot No. 20, for 1 year. From 15th April, 1890.

OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, February 10, 1890.

TO LET.

HOUSE in WEST TERRAUE. A. Entry 1st May. Apply to G. C. ANDERSON.

Hongkong, March 29, 1890.

ST FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 15, PRAYA CENTRAL. 2ND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

LAI HING & Co.. No. 158, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, March 21, 1890.

TO LET. MORRISON HILL.

Entry, 1st June. d. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central.

Hongkong, April 22, 1890.

TO LET. NE Large ROOM on the GROUND

FLOOR of No. 13, Praya Central. Spitable for an Office. Apply to

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, March 28, 1890.

TO LET.

TIROM let February next, Nos. 53, 55 and 57, PEEL STREET. EDWARD GEORGE.

Hongkong, January 9, 1890. - TO LET.

THE TOP FLOOR of GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Hong, consisting of Five SPACIOUS ROOMS and Three BATH-ROOMS, suitable either as Offices or Dwelling Apartments. For terms, apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, January 14, 1890.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP SAGHALIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

J ex S.S. Douro and Tigre, from DAY, 15th May, at Noon. Havre ex S.S. Tiore, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Eyriand des Vergues, in con- p.m. Parcels and Specia (Gold) at the Office nection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium. Treasure and Valuables

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (Thursday), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Goods remaining unclaimed after Tevespay, the lat May, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me before the 3rd May (Saturday), or they pany's Office. will not be recognised. _ No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPRAUX,

Hougkong, April 24, 1890.

the Undersigned.

To-day's Advertisements.

GARRISON THEATRE, HONGKONG-

MILITARY MUMMERS. WOODCOCK'S LITTLE GAME. - EO3. A Furcical Comedy by J. MADDISON MORTON, will be given by the above TO-MORROW and SATURDAY,

1st and 3rd May, 1890.

To be followed by the Farces

AREA BELLE and BROTHER BILL AND ME. Doors open at 8.30. To commence at 9 p.m. Punkaha will be provided. Tickets :- Reserved Scats, \$1 (numbered), First Seats 50 cents, can be obtained of Superintending Clerk J. C. WATSON, Commissoriat Buildings.

Hongkong, April 30, 1690

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Stoamship

Captain W. D. Modis, will leave for the above places at 10 a.m. TO-MORROW, the 1st May. E. L. WOODIN.

Hongkong, April 30, 1890. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YUKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship Monmouthshire.

Captain Cuuing, wi FRIDAY, the 2nd May, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 30, 1890. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK. The Company's Steamer Phra Chula Chom Klao, Captain A. Benson, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 4th May,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Hongkong, April 30, 1890. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE.

URING the temporary Absence of the Undersigned, Mr. W. J. SAUNDERS will Act as SECRETARY of the Society. By Order of the Board,

Secretary. Hongkong, April 30, 1890. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. MONMOUTHSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery

may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY: No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th Proximo will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before | Co.

the 6th Proximo, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 30, 1890.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, ISMALIA, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bill of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURO, NEW YORK

AND BOSTON. SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH THE PRINCULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship Captain W. A. SEATON, R.N.R., with Hor Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON sid

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on THURS. Cargo will be received on board until until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing, Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo : Tes and General Mr M. Bonnecke, General Lemgaw, and are being landed and stored at their risk Cargo for London will be conveyed vid 108 Chinese.

at the Company's Godowns, whence de- Bombay without translipment, arriving one livery may be obtained immediately after week later than by the ordinary direct route vid Colombo. For further Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PERINBULER & ORIENTAL STELM NAVIGA- Desc.

HON COMPANY'S Office, Hergkong: The Contents and Value of Paclages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Cempatry's Black Bills of Lading. Pastengers decirous of insuring their haggage can do so on application at the Com-

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for MARSEILLES. E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 30, 1890.

Business Notices.

SPECIAL SHOW

Summer Goods LADIES' & QUILDREN'S WEAR, including :- A Splendid Variety of NEW ZEPHYRS, W. SHING SILKS, PRINTS, NUN'S VEILINGS, &c., in all the most Fashiounble Patterns and Shades. NEW FANCY GOODS of every description just to hand.

NOTE .- By S.S. Glenogle, Wo shall receive a large Stock of FASDIONABLE MILLINERY from Paris, both TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED, and the LATEST NOVELTIES for SUMMER SEASON.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD. (LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

SOCIÉTÉ FRANÇAISE DES

penter, L. Kalischer, Mr and Mrs Godard CHARBONNAGES DU TONKIN. and 2 children, Mrs P. M. Gomez and child, Mrs Mercedes de Paster, Capt. H. F. THE General Annual MEETING will Hawkins, R.A., Mesara Ho Ta Keeand Lock L. t-ke place at Hongkong, on the 31st Hin Chin. From Shanghai; for Saigon, Mr MAY, 1890, at the REGISTERED OFFICE in L. Scetti; for Singapore, Mr Grünbery ; for Victoria Buildings, at Noon, 12 o'Clock. Butavia, Mr do Chaplnes; for Marse lles, ORDER OF THE DAY:

746 Report presented by the Board of Directors. Report of the Commissioners Approval of Accounts. Election of Directors. Election of Commissioner.

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, owners of at least Twenty Shares, in order to have the right to attend the Meeting, shall have to deposit them at the Company's Office not later than FIFTERN DAYS bef re the Meeting, and will receive in Exchange a card of admission.

By Order of the Board of Directors, E. GEORG. Secretary.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Houghong, April 39, 1890.

CHEMISTS.

AERATED WATERS.

menis, and is one of the most complete and efficient ever shipped from England. The Purity of the water is certified by

OUR Plant comprises the latest improve-

analysis. The construction of the machinery and system of manufacture in force ensures

cleanliness and absence of all contamination in the finished waters. Easterly winds, and fine weather through-The quality of the Soda .Water is equal

to that of the best English makers. The Flavour of the syruped waters is Had light Southerly winds, and fine clear equal to any produced in England or abroad. Soda and Acrated Water supplied in Bombay sized bottles only, unless the ordin-

ary size is specially ordered. Coast Port Orders caroful'y packed and despatched by first steamer after receipt of

> TELEPHONE No 6 % Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD .

CENTRAL

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. April 29, 1800 :--

Momnonthshire, British steamer, 1,891 F. G. Cuming, London via Penang, and Singapore April 23, General. - ADAMSON, Bell & Co. April 30 :-Peking, German steamer, 954, F. Schulz,

Shanghai April 27, General, - Siemssen & City of Peking. American steamer, 3,129, M. Cavarly, San Francisco April 5, and Yokohama 24, Mails and General. - P. M.

S. S. Co. Taicheong, German steamer, 822, Duhme, Saigon April 26, Rice. - A. G. MORR B

Lennow, British steamer, 1,327, G. Swinnerton, Saigon April 23, Paddy and Rice. -ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Sorachi Muru, Jupaneso steamor, 1,100,

Goneral. - Tono Ker. Freir, Danish steamer, 419, C. A. Lund Hoihow April 29, General, -ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

. Brotherton, Bangkok April 23, Rice and

Kwang Lec, Chinese str., 1,508, R. L. Lincoln, Shanghai April 27; General.-C

M. S. N. Co. DEPARTURES.

April 30 -Tritos, for Bangkok, Dorset, for Kutchinotzu. Tannadice, for Sing spore and Batavia. Clara, for Haiphong. Arratoon Apear, for Singapore & Calcutta. Nanzing, for Amoy and Manila, Sungkiang, for Function and Tientsin.

Soochow, for Swatow and Shanghai.

CLEARED. Benlawers, for Saigon. Cass, for Amoy and Manila.

PASSENGERS.

Per Monmouthshire, from London, &c., Mra Cain, Mr Nakashima, and 30 Chinese. Per Peking, from Shanghai, 25 Chinese. Per City of Peking, from San Francisco, Per Lenngz, from Saigon, 30 Chinese.

Per Sorachi Maru, from Bangkok, 42 Per Freit, from Hoibow, 115 Chinese. Per Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, 119 Chi-DEPARTED.

Per Clara, Haiphong, 4 Europeans, and Per Arrateon Apour, for Singapore, Europeans, and 431 Chinese. Per Nanzing, for Amoy, 125 Chinese, Per Sungkiang, for Foodhow, 1 Chinese. Per Soochow, for Swatow, 12 Chinese.

Per Tannadice, for Singapote, 265 Ch

TO PROABE. Per Congo, from Hongkong : for Saigon. 4 Chinese, and 1 Japanese woman; for 812 Singapore, Mr Le Sik, and 3 Chinese; for 960 MEMOS, FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

10 a.m. - Ancona loaves for Japan. 11 a.m. - Thales leaves for Swatow, &c. Noon. - French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Noon. - Greatior leaves for Bombay, &c.

Amusements. 9 p.m.-Performance at the Garrison

Meeting. 9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge. Miscellaneous.

Goods per Steamer Saghallen unclaimed after Noon subject to rent. Goods per Glenfalloch undelivered after this date subject to rent.

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NOW READY.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

BY APPOINTMENT.

ATSON & Co., LIMITED. (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.) HUNGKONG.

Mr and Mrs Vonillement, Mrs and Miss E invite attention to the fellowing old VV landed Brands, all of which are ex-Messrs Everitt, Hamilton, Tamblyn, Browncellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best growths at moderate The British steamer Monmouthshire re-

20 In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or weather to 17° North; thence to port, light | Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality Orders through Local Post or by Teleports : Left San Brancisco April 5th, 3.50

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

gram receive prompt attention.

Case. Per Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsulo O Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Scal Cap-

D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) . . . 18 1.50 A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule : . 6 B Superior Pale Dry, dinner

wine, Green Saal Capsule 7.50 0.75 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural The British stenmer Lennox reports: Had light variable winds and fine weather. Sherry, White Capsule , 10 . 1.0 CC Superior Old Dry, Pale The Japanese steamer Sorachi Maru reports : Had light S. W. winds to Pulo Obi; Natural Sherry, Red Seal thence to Hongkong, light to moderate D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine,

Quarts.

and Trade Mark 8.

the Finest Scotch Malt.

Whiskies, Violet Cap-

Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-

D Watson's H K D Blend of

E Watson's Very Old Liqueur

anlo

A John Jameson's Old, Green

Capanie .

B John Jameson's Fine Old,

O John Jameson's Very Fine

GENUINE BOURBON WHIEEY.

A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-

B Fine Unsweetened, White

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet

Good Looward Island \$1.50 per Gallon

Maraschino

Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Angostura

The China Atlail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1800

THE opium trade of India and the teatrad

of China have suffered a serious decline

during the last few years, and the cause of

decline is almost the same in both cases

India formerly had the monopoly of opium

has begon to cultivate the drug and the

area under cultivation is ateadily increasing.

growing country and was almost withou

rival. Now India and Ceylon, have so suc-

consully out into the ten trade that China,

on the markets of England, the greatest tea-

codatiming country, instead of being the

only supplier, has been forced into a

Hearing's Cherry Cordin

Bitters, &c.

Capsule

QUEURS.

Curacoa

at 7.20 p. m.

Benedictina

fine old, Red Capsule,

with Name

Green Capsule

irish whisky.

White Scal Capanlo . 12 1.10 The Chinese steamer Kunng Lee reports E Extra Superior Old Pale weather, from Shanghai to Heishaus. From Dry, very finest quality. Black Seal Capsule (Old Heishans to Laminocks, had light variable airs, and dense fog. From Lammocks to Bottled) . . port, had light N. W. winds, and fine hazy Per Case. Per Case.

LARETS POST OFFICE NOTICES. A Superior Breakfast Claret. MAILS will close:-Red Capsule B St. Estephe, Red Capsule: 4.59 5.00

For STRAITS & BOMBAY .-C St. Julien Per Gualtor, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday D La Rose the 1st May, instead of as previously For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO BRANDY. Per Thates, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red

B Superior Very Old Cognac, For SAIGON .-Per China, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, Red Capsulo C Very Old Liquour Cognac, the 1st May. Red Capsulo. For KOBE .-D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Por Menmuir, at 2,30 p.m., on Saturday.

Liqueur Cognac, 1872 the 3rd May. Vintage, Red Capsule 24 2.00 SCOTCH WHISKY. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. A Thorne's Blend, White Capaulo The French Contract Packet Conge B Watson's Glenorchy Melwill be despatched on THURSDAY low Blend, Blue Capsule, the 1st May, with Mails to the with Name and Trade United hingdom, Europe, and places beyond, viil Marscilles; to Saigon, Straits Mark. O Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet. Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon Red Capsulo, with Name Madras, the Australiainn Colonies,

Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt Malta, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

the lat May.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may

lowever be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all 10.00 A.M.-Registry ceases. 10.30 a.m. - Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. RUM.

11.00 A. M. - 3[nil closes. ZET LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11. 10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 AM, after which hour they may be sent on Board with the sameLate

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

TOTICE is hereby given that A. S WATSON & Co., LIMITED, carrying on BUSINESS at the HONGKONG DIS-PENSARY, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and in many other Ports and places in China and elsewhere, have registered in the said Colony their Trade-marks as applied to MEDICINES, PROPRIETORY ARTICLES, ERATED WATERS, PERFUMES. WINE SPIRITS, LIQUORS, CIGARS and other ARTICLES appertaining to the Business in its vari us Branches, and also as to the Labels, Wrappers, Brands, or Marks affixed to the same, and that if any infringement or colourable imitation of the same be made or attempted to be coade by any Person or cultivation; but within recent years China Persons, the said A. S. WATSON & Co., Limitan, will immedidately take legal pro ceedings for an injunction to restrain him or them from affixing, or procuring, or causing, or allowing to be affixed to any bottles, or b xes, or otherwise using, employing or permitting to be used or employed any labels, wrappers, brands, or marks used by the said A. S. WATSON & Co., Limited, and also to obtain damages in respect thereof.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1889. WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors for the said

ing interests, little might remain for us but to 125 per cent. on its value, and to submit with resignation to the inevit- if taken constwise about 47 per cent. able. But there are strong reasons for The consequence is that scarcely any is exbelieving that the decline in the China tea ported under its own denomination, for the trade and in the Indian-opium trade is not simple reason that the duty kills the traffic. pre-eminently the effect of natural causes, The only port from which considerable but of artificial causes for which the Go- shipments have been made is Kinking for vernments of the two countries are mainly the Hankow market, where the British tea responsible. Both in India and China factories create a demand. The tea dust there exists the viciously uneconomical must be disposed of somehow, and seeing system of taxing exports. Whatever may it cannot be shipped from the producing be said in favour of protecting native in- ports to local markets, where there is a dustry by levying heavy dues on imports- good demand for it, the inevitable result is and we think experience demonstrates this that the tes packers get rid of it by mixing to be a very dubious benefit—the policy of it with better qualities. The same may be taxing the exports of a country is little said of tea stalks, which are as heavily short of suicidal. The harm done, in the taxed, paying coastwise as high as 107 per case of a country which has the monopoly cent, on the value and when exported 711 of one trade, such as India had of opium per cent. The attempts to stop adulteraand China of tea some ten years ago, may tion by inspection have hitherto proved not be great, but when the menopoly has unavailing, and they never will succeed so been broken down, as has happened in long as the inducement to get rid of dust both cases, the export tax becomes an op- tea and other stuffs in this way is pressive burden on the trade and must so strong. The strange fact that, Indian opium merchants are beginning to carried up and down the coast, tea dread the fate that awaits their trade if the is not to be found, and that the recently petitioned the Vicercy of India inferior teus, points to an anomalous state to reduce the duty, showing that, out of of things, which, apart from the injury the Rs. 1065 per chest obtained by them, done by adultoration, demands immediate Rs. 100 as native imposts. They declared crument. that with this heavy burden and with the Customs duty of Tis. 110 to pay in China THE report of the Observatory Commis-

the Indian drug was sorely handicapped in sloners is a strange document. They find 2 doz. and lekin duties, which do not amount to less than Tla. 4.50 per picul, place Chinese teas at a serious disadvantage in competi-Cass. Per Bot. articles. Sir Robert Hart, when he last . \$12 \$1.10 in the fact that while the export to England 18 1.50 is very poor consolation, for while her

tion with the untaxed Indian and Cerlon enquired into the matter, took consulation had decreased, the export to Russia had correspondingly increased. At the best this ivals have largely benefitted by the increased consumption, China has only managed to keep her own. But even this cannot be anid of the last two years. The great falling off in the expert to England has not nearly been made good by the demand from Russia, and there is a serious shrinkage in the total export. The Inspector General declares that there will always be a demand for good Chinese teas, because they have qualities which the Indian and Caylon ters do not possess. This is to some extent true, and if China will content herself with a small trade in her choice teas, she need not perhaps be uneasy. But we imagine the merchants, both foreign and native, look on the matter in a quite different light, and cannot be expected to view with equinimity the trade slipping out of their hands. The lower Old, Green Capsule . 12 1.10 classes in England, who are by far the largest consumers of ten, have taken kindly to the cheap strong Indian and Coylon teas, and will not be persuaded to buy dear 4.50 0.40 China ten because it contains a little less tannin. Moreover, the reduction of the duty O Fine A. V. II. Coneva . 5.25 0.50

The publication of this issue commence! to the best production of China? of the China tes trade-must be looked for said when speaking of the discussion in the more in the improvement of the quality by Legislative Conneil, there is absolutely no A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, | condary position. Did these changes affect | scientific cultivation than in the reduction | need for two cables between Hongkoog and

only India and China, the matter might not of taxation. Scientific cultivation will do a be of much interest to us here; for in the greatdeal, and we believe that, with this and long run it might be better for India to relief from oppressive duty, China would soon grow less opium and more tes, and as pro- reassert her position on the market of Engfitable for China to grow less tea and more land. But scientific cultivation alone will opium. But as such a result would have a not do. Commissioner Kopsch of Tamani doubly detrimental effect on the volume of shows very clearly in his report, extracts trade between the countries, and as Hong- from which we give in another column, that kong is the chief centre of exchange, the very heavy burden laid on dust tea and we are, more than any one clse, vitally other interior qualities is the chief cause of interested in the transformation that the deterioration of the better sorts of tea seems to be in progress. Were the We do not think we have heard this conchange solely due to natural causes, tention before, but certainly there are were it merely one of those inevitable conse- strong arguments to support it. In Tol. quences of national development such II, page 223, of the Custom Tariff Tables it as have within the last fifty years made the will be seen that tea dust shipped agricultural interests of England dwindle abroad, including Hongkong, pays duty into insignificance beside her manufacture at the rate of from 624 per cent. assuredly ruin it in course of time. The among the large quantity of produce high export duties are continued. They North of China has to rely on Japan for Re. 650 went for Government duty and attention on the part of the Chinese Gov-

the competition with the Chinese drug, on that the practical advantages obtained from which there was a very small, if any, duty. the Observatory as at present established In support of their contention that the are very small. But if we are prepared to trade is threatened with extinction they spend double the amount now voted, we pointed to the fact that whereas in the may get satisfactory results. It requires a financial year 1886-87 the number of chests good deal of faith to accept this concluexported from Bombay was 37,838, the sion. We have always held-and a great number in 1888-89 was only 29,777, while | deal of the outside evidence that was called in the seven months that had run of 1889 strongly supported our opinion—that the 90, the export only amounted to 17.663 defects of the meteorlogical department lay not so much in the system as in the man Theplaint of the Indian opium dealer, is the who worked out the system. The Complaint of the China tea merchants. Export missioners themselves, admit that the Director of the Observatory is at times disposed to place unnecessary difficulties in the way of the solution of matters connect ed with the practical working of the Obacreatory. His whole endeavour, whon examined before the Commissioners, was to show that defects and delays in telegraphic communication and the want of proper European assistance were the causes of the inefficiency of the service. The tenour of his evidence, however, and more especially the evasive and unsatisfactory answers he gave about the storm of the 15/16 October last, show that he was making mountains out of mole-hills. And had the Commissioners taken the trouble to examine the First Assistant, Mr Figg, they would, we are persuaded, have obtained quite a different version of the affair, and they might also have got information that would have been useful for the purpose of verifying the tables of work done at the Observatory supplied by Dr Doberck himself. It may be true, as he says in one part that he works from 7 a.m. to 1 next morning, or, as given in the tables, that he puts in 385 hours work per mouth, but without any confirmatory evidence we may be pardened for doubting the accuracy of the statements: Some of the recommendations made by the Commissioners are excellent. The repetition of signals, the establishment of a small station at the Peak, where the aigns of an approaching ty; hoon are more quickly noticed, the introduction of an amplified working of the Observatory, which the Di-

on tes from 6d to 4d, will, as the same code of signals, the heightening of the predoty is imposed by all sorts of teas, benefit sent signals from four to six feet, the better the inferior sorts, on which the proportion diffusion of the information at the disposal of duty to cost is greatest, more than the of the Director, the organisation of a sysbetter sorts, and will thus widen the differ- tem of coloured lamps for night signals, are ence in cost between China and Indian teas. | reforms of great importance many of which And who is to guarantee-that Indian and have long been advocated. But, with the Coylon growers will not discover some day exception parliags of the branch station at a means of producing tea equal in quality | the Peak, these are matters of detail in the The experience of the last two years and rector himself ought to him seen to long the massailable logic of the stern fact that ago. It was his duty to see that the service a dear article will not find sale in a market of storm-warnings was rendered as efficient where a cheep article of the same quality as possible. He would have encountered is offered, ought to impress on the Chinese no opposition on the part of the Hongkong Government the accessity of abolishing the Government had he instead of assuming export duty, lekin and other charges on the the dogged sullen attitude of an ill-temperstaple product of their country. If they do | cd child, shows the least suavity and tact. not make the slight excrisce new demanded As to the other recommendations, which in the interest of the tea trade they will are those that involve the large increase in have to make a greater sacrifice later on, the expenditure;—the appointment of three when the inevitable decline not only brings peristants and the laying of a special obser-

in diminished returns from the duty entory cable-we do not think that levied but leads to the impoverishment sufficient evidence was produced to In the same way China, less than ten years of a large section of the population, support them. The defects in the transago, was considered pre-eminently the tea. Even if the authorities find it too hard to mission of messages, of which Dr Doberck take off all the charges on tea, they ought at tried with little success-to make so lenst to relieve the interior qualities. Sir much, were only elerical defects Robert Hart in his report to the Tsong-li which an addition to or an improvement Yamen expressed the opinion that a revival of the telegraph staff would aroll. As we

tory telegrams have the preference when the necessity arises, but the other work is so small that this need inconvenience no one. As to the additional staff, we are thoroughly persuaded that an efficient willing director, with one English assistant, is quite able to do all that we require in Hongkong, if they work in harmony with troubles and difficulties have mainly been due to his charlish temper and-if we are not mistaken -to his want of experience of practical admission of the Commissioners, \$25 was imposed. to effect any improvement in the system of storm warnings as compared with what grand results from him in the future, even sity. Straits Times. spirit to that which he has hitherto exhibited and manifests a more ardent desire to

SHANGHAI RACES.

SPR	ing Meeting, 1890.
Second Day	-Tuesday, April 29th, 1890.
	KA-ZA CUP: oy's Dunkeld 1
	ODN'S Hero 1
	es' Purse :— ifleur's Ellegant 1
	CLUB CUP :-
	ondra Cup :— ovale's Bluck I caf 1
THE SPRING Mr Fran	a Cur : kliu's <i>Likelihood</i> 1
	on's Zephyr 1
THE TAOTA Mr Sasso	i's Cup: — on's Sahara 1
Third Day-	Wednesdag, April 30th, 1890.

Mr Sassoon's Hollyhock THE PARI MUTUAL CUP :-Mr Merovale's Black Leaf ... 1 The Chau-Shang-Kiuk-Cur :-

THE GREAT NORTHERN PLATE:-

Mr Sassoon's Hero ... TELEGRAMS.

PORTUGAL AND ENGLAND. London, 21st April. - The King of Portugal in the course of a speech expressed a hope that the negociations now proceeding with Great Britain would result honourably to both nations.

(From Singapore papers.)

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURE CANAL. 3 16; Achilles, Kaisow, Highfield, 18. Lacries, Merionethabire, 18.

The Canadian Pacific s. s. Parthia, from Vancouver, &c., left Yokohama for Kobs, Shanghai and Hongkong on the

The C. N. Co.'s s. s. Yunnan, from Glasgow, left Singapore on April 25th, and may be expected here on or about the The s. e. Wingsang, from Calcutta, left Sin-

gapore on the 25th April, and may be expected here on or about the 1st The D. D. R. new s. a. Oceana left Singa-

pore on the 28th April, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd The Gleu Line s. s. Glenogie, from Antwerp

and London, left Singapore on the 28t April, and may be expected here on or about the 4th May. The P. & O. Co.'s extra steamer Lombardy

from Bombay, left Singapore on the 29th April, at 6 a.m., and may be expacted here on or about the 5th May, The E. & A. S.S. Co.'s s.s. Airlis left Port Darwin on the 26th April, and may be expected here on or about the 5th

Taz 'Military Mutomers' are to give dramatic entertainments in the Garrison Theatre on Thursday and Saturday even ings this week. To-morrow evening to be punished accordingly. Now in the 'Woodcock's Little Game,' The Area Belle and an original farce entitled Brother Bill and me' will be given.

Mr. Wodehouse to-day dismissed the summona against Mr H. G. Scott, broker, who was charged by a chair coolis, with keeping | tunately the case in this colony that the radical change in the uniform of the French a ferocious nemuzzled dog, his Worship being satisfied from the svidence of Mr allowed to go anywhere and do anything 6.30 train from the Gare de Vincennes, Scott and Inspector Hennessy that the dog | they pleased. But apart from this, consi- accompanied by Generals Billot, Brugere, was not ferocions,

A MEETING of the Songei Koyah Planting ry indications of a public gambling house, he arrived on the field. Co., Limited, was hell this afternoon for Magistrate in saying that the place was and First and One Hundred and Third Rethe purpose of confirming the special re- kept for public gambling. There was a giments of infantry, the Twenty-ninth solution passed on the 14th just, enabling brad distinction in the English Acts be Ristemen, the Twenty-eighth Hk. Tls. 2.5.0.0 per picul, the same rate as Hallett shows papers and the affidavits of the company to forfeit or cancel any share on which any call or instalment shall remain judges in a recent case, and what the manoeuvres took place on the elevated there were also present : Mesers H. L. Dalrymple, W. Wotton, H. H. Lightwood, G. D. Scott, G. Fenwick, J. S. Perry, and L. Hallward (Secretary.) The Chairman proposed the confirmation of the resolution. which was seconded by Mr Fenwick and

carried unanimously.

To-morrow, the 1st of May, the summer time-table of the Peak Tramway comes ento The Acting Chief Justice said it was from the position to be attacked, as their as already remarked, none find their way force. On week days the cars will run from stated that the game was fantan, 8 to 10 s.m. every quarter of an hour, from law to prevent twenty or thirty people from rifle and were served with amokeless carmoon to 1 p.m. every quarter of an honr, having a game of fantau among themselves tr dges, not blank, but containing pastefrom 1 to 2 p.m. every half hour and from in a private olub. 4 tous p.m. every quarter of an hour. The Asting Chief Justice said this case harmless as one might suppose, for within There will be the usual Thursday night wout further than that. The evidence of a range of twenty-five meters they produce trams. On Sundays there will be the witnesses was that they were asked by a a shock sufficient to knock a man over. usual church tram at 10.40 a.m., then the man outside to go up and make their The artillery were served with amokeless cars will run from no n to 2 p.m. and from fortupes, and they went. Was not that powder ammunition. The weather was su-A to 8 p.m. every quarter of an bour, -and public gaming !

course at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 1st May. An acrated water manufacturer, named

Loung Shan, was brought before Mr Wodeat the instance of Inspector Quincey with our good friends in Manila. Dr. Doberck's being in unlawful possession, of a quantity of unused corks, the property of Mesars meteorological work. His faculty for creat found the corks, of which there were the man who was managing the game could the campaigning of other days seemed later on. shown in the evasive answers he gave with Bazzar, which is known as the Hip Yuk we shall reproduce to-morrow or at an early | in a basket, covered over with matting, and date some of the evidence given by Dr. the defendant said his foki had bought them Director of the Observatory, with the the corks, each of which was marked with the second appellant. machinery at his disposal-allowing it to the name of the firm. He said the loss of be as imperfect as he maintains it is line the corks was much less serious than the been unable, according to the testimony of damage which might be done to the firm by all the ship captains examined and the the defendant's use of them. A fine of

WE hear that the Chartered Bink is giving existed before the Observatory was founded, to its officers a bonus of ten per cent. on

> consorts, left Spain on the 11th of this la month (April) -Singapore Free Press.

SUPREME COURT. -- IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION (Before His Honour Mr Fielding Clarks, Acting Chief Justice, and Mr. A. G. Wise. Acting Puine Judge.) Wednesday, April 30.

GAMBLING IN CHINESE OLUBS. MUI PUI AND ANOTHER, APPELLANTS : W.

QUINCEY, RESPONDENT. This was an appeal against the decision of Mr H. E. Wodehouse, Police Magistrate, in a case in which the appellants were convicted of keeping a public gambling house. Mr Francis, Q. C., instructed by Mr Drunys, appeared for the appellants, and the respondent was unrepresented.

Mr Francis said the appeal was made under the provisions of Ordinance 4 of 1858. the Crown, by Wm. Quincey, Inspector of Police, being made respondent. The ungistrate, in stating a case, had simply stated his determination in the matter, he having found that the appellants kept a place for public gambling at No. 170 Wellington Street, and sentenced each of them to four months' imprisonment, with hard labour, which determination he had come to on the evidence before him; and the question for the Court to decide was whether the appellants were rightly home manufacturers. convicted under Ordinance 9 of 1887 as amended by Ordinance 27 of 1888, sections OUTWARD BOUND :- Afghan, April 8; Glen- 4 and 5. The charge against the appellants General Manager shell be entitled to a lyon, Balcarres Brook, 11; Dencation, was under section 4 of the amending commission of five per cent on all sales by or Iraouaddy, Pembrokeshire, Nanchang, Ordinance- Any person who shall keep receipts of the Company. Now, Sir, I would any house, room, boat, vessel or place of any HOMEWARD BOUND :- Titan, March 25; kind whatever on land or water for public possible for an article like cement, in the Wismar, 28; Diomed, April 1; Glen- playing or gambling, or shall permit any trade of which there is such keen competieagles, 8; Cyclops. Kriemhild, Smit, 11, person to play within such house, room, tion, to yield any profit to the shareholders Breconshire, Cambodia, Massiliu, 15; boat, vessel or placefon land or water shall on the top of such a charge as this?' The boat, vessel or place on land or water shall on the top of such a charge as this in the boat, vessel or place on land or water shall on the top of such a charge as this is pear's spring pickings) were extremely high, growing, and continued high through May and June,

> The learned counsel presumed that their Lordships had read the depositions. The Acting Chief Justice said he could not say he had done so as the handwriting

vas so unreadable. Mr Francis than read a copy of the depositions. From the evidence it appeared in the Club in question, while the second | got for the remaining 24 lacs. appellant acted as shroff, or accountant. were allowed to take part in the game, Inspector Quincey's evidence it appeared that the place presented the appearance of said there were two questions raised by two persons convicted were the keepers fully, of that place. Section 5 of the amending ordinance said- 'Any person appearing or acting as master, or as having the care or management of any house, room, office. a ency or place as aforesaid shall be deemed to be the keeper ther, of and shall be liable

the law 81 this colony a public gamble and First Regiment and Twenty ninth Rifl s or lucre, and there was no proof that the defects of the little village of Queen Fore gn markets. the appellants were doing anything elie The attacking force was composed of the One that noting as bankers, nor was there any Hundred and Third Regiment and a battery evidence as to what the nature of the game of field setillery. They utilized the farm Teas, Dust, Stalks, etc., especially in the Mr Francis said there was nothing in the

there will be night cars at 0, 10 10.30 and Mr Francis said there was, on favorable for the object in view. 11 p.m. Subscribers to the China Mail the other hand, the evidence of At 8:30 o'clock swarms of skirmishers of residing at the Peak, who give us notice Inspector Quincey that to all out- the assacking column emerged from the to that effect, may have their papers sent ward appearance there was an entire woods of Bordes. The attacking buttery by the 8 p.m. car to the upper terminus, absence of any of the suspicious circum- thundered away at the little village and

Dakin Bros. Inspector Quincey said he cridence did not show sufficiently that slightest smoke.

Clean, hold leafed Teas, unmixed with Dost, ground that they could not make money at acquiescent reply these mon kept the house, but he thought. The effect to military men accustomed to may prove to be a very serious competitor the old prices, although beer made for A committee, hear

inasmuch as it does not satisfy us that he of a rifleman, was now marked. V that, excepting Toa, the only other theories of La Salle and Taine, It com- roturn to me when your health has been

port has been received from the mining back. Therefore, as regards the first rangefinder. of a less serious character, and consider- warfare of the future. ing the delay that has taken place in connection with the case we think it fair and reasonable to reduce the punishment to two months' hard labour. As regards the other appellant we are not satisfied that the evidence warrants a conviction at all. He is merely described as a shroff and we are not able to say his position was such that he could permit gambling to be going on. Therefore the conviction against him is quashed. There will be no

CORRESPONDENCE.

order as to costs.

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

To the Editor of the OHINA MAIL. Sir,-In your issue of yesterday, I observe that you mention the Green Island Cement Co. Ltd., as likely, amongst other industries, to shortly add wealth to this

I am afraid that but little of this wealth will find its way into the pockets of the general body of shareholders unless the Articles of Association be so altered as to place the Company on a sounder basis and in a position better able to compete with

Theexisting Articles provide that, in addition to a salary of \$5,000 per annum, the ask any sensible business man, Bow is it In addition to this perpetual royalty to

the General Manager on the output of coment, the new shareholders have been saddled with a charge of \$250,000 for the so-called 'good-will,' thus largely increasing the numinal capital of the Company At the recent General Meeting I vain ondeavoured to elicit some more detailed that the first appellant had been seen by particulars than those set forth in the balwitnesses managing a game of fantum mice sheet as to what the shareholders had

It appears to me, Sir, that for this conand that the witnesses not being members | corn to succeed the charges for manage. of the Club or introduced to it in any way | mont should be reasonable and the capital reduced to a figure more commensurate The witnesses also stated that a man at the with the sciual value of the assets. I also door of the house invited the public to think that the Directors should have greater walk up and make their fortunes. From powers than are conferred on them by the existing Articles of Association.

According to all accounts the content is an ordinary Chinese Club. Mr Francis good ; the industry has probably in itself all the elements of success. It only remains the conviction. The first question was for the shareholders to bestir themselves whother this Club was a place kept for and get the concern worked on a basis public gambling within the meaning of the likely to yield them some return for the ordinanco, and the second was whother the | money they have put into it .- Your's faith-

> THOS: ARNOLD. Hongkong, 30th April, 1893.

SMOKELESS POWDER.

A NOVEL-EXPERIMENT IN FRANCS. Paris: April 1 - The manoeuvres which first place he submitted that there was not took place on a plateau to the east of sufficient evidence before the Magistrate to Champigny in the presence of General justify him in finding that this was a room Saussier, Military Governor of Paris, to kept for public playing or gambling. Of test the use of amokeless powder, constitute course there was evidence that two Chinese the most important militury experiment in witnesses went there and gambled, but the France since the adoption of the Lebel r.fle. question arose whether they were known The tost was a surprise for almost everyto belong to the police-and it was unfor- body, and one of its results is likely to be police and anybody belonging to them were army. General Saussier left Paris by the during the evidence given by Mr Quincey Mathieu and Nismes and a stuff of thirty that the place showed none of the custom- officers of different grades and at 7 o'clock

appellatits were charged with was not plateau east of Champigny, contiguous to keeping a public gambling house. By it flows into the Seine. The One Hundred and wood of Bordes, 1200 meters distant

> base of operations. board bullets. These latter are not so

Kowloon. By all means let the Obs rva- THERE will be a game of Polo on the Race point the keeper of a public gambling place forward by fits and starts and taking vesting of small private gardens in the caragency or place as aforceaid, and he would, tack on the right flank of the One Hundred leaves, a day or two old only. There are, importation of foreign mest. The re- an autograph letter by an adjutant. call their Lordships attention to the fact and Third Regiment, which thus was re- already signs in New York of lower prices staurants will raise the price of meat 20 per house in the Police Court to-day, charged that there was nothing in the evidence to pelled, and at 0.30 all the forces on the being established for a lower article, and cont to-day. show that this description applied to these field were blazing away at each other. The Formosa Teas have certainly not the hold The Acting Chief Justice said he was in multitude of drums, but neither its have. Indian Tess have got the thin end clined to agree with Mr Francis that the rapidity part its intensity produced the of the wedge in already in the States, and

ing difficulties which do not exist is clearly, about 1,900, in accused's shop, Gilman's be held to have permitted public gambling almost supernatural. Companies of in- A propos of Indian Tea, it will be pleasin the place. With regard to the other fantry concealed in the brush poured a ing to those interested in the prosperity of man be did not see anything in the evid- deadly fire upon their opponents without the China Tes trade to learn that the muchtip ball. In proof of what we have said soda-water manufactory. The corks were ence on which he could be convicted. being possible to find their whereabouts, desired and repeatedly-urged reforms in the Barlin announces the publication of a Prince Bismarck. Mr Francis then asked their Lordships thanks to the absence of the toll-tele puffs cultivation and preparation of Tea on the pamphlet entitled He Goes; What Now? to modify the penalty in the case of the of smoke so familiar in the old days. On Indian model are now about to be tried in It is reported that Emperor William him-Deberok Sefere the Commission. Mean somewhere. Mr Napier, chemist in the first appellant, allowing him the option of the other hand, troops not under cover this district. Under the auspices of one of self is the author of the pamphlet. In any time, we would only say that, if the employ of Messrs Dakin Bros., identified a fine, and to quash the conviction ogainst found it impossible, as hitherto, to concest the leading British firms established here, case it betrays an intimate knowledge of Bismarck was or was not voluntary, but their movements under friendly clouds of the services of an expert in the growth and affairs. The Acting Chief Justice said-We find smoke from the supporting batteries. It manufacture of Tea in Assam have been that the conviction as regards the first de- was astonishing to see how clearly the dif- engaged, with the object of introducing the among its members the Emperor, Caprivi cross and collar of the order of Hohenzolfendant was wrong in form. The conviction ferent parts of uniforms were distinguished. system into Formosa, Great results are and General Da Vernois, Minister of War, lern the Emperor said : I give this collar sgainst him was for keeping a room for The great disadvantage under which the expected from this experiment, and it is proposes to reconcile the democratic only in exceptional cases, and for special public playing or gambling. We do not French linesman, with his red trousers, hoped that they will be speedily realised. parties, alienated by Bismarck, and that services rendered. The links in the collar

was actually the keeper of the place in Not only General Saussier, but nearly all Exports requiring much capital are pares him to Savonarola and Constantine, restored. there is not much ground for expecting their salaries a laudable and wise genero- question. The evidence does satisfy us, the general officers present, felt convinced Camphor and Coal. In the former ar- and says he has taken the may social

THE TRADE OF FORMOSA.

THE DECLINE OF THE TEATRADE-ITS PROBABLE CATHE. The following extracts from the report of Commissioner Kopsch at CTamsui will

doubtless be road with great interest :to Special Table No. 6, it is many years ceipts from Exports. since there has been such a falling offfigures for the year under review exhibit, Commenting on the business of the past 12

previous year. These expectations, how. lover, have not been realised. The season opened rather later than usual and, notwithstanding the wretched condi-tion of the American market, opening prices ness firm. The cultivation of Silk is being devoted to other approach.

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The Library Conference. and, not withstanding the wretched condiwhich were considered inferior to former if the peasantry find it as profitable as Teauntil the first Sucz steamer had left on 22nd June. . It may be here mentioned that the rush in Amoy this season was not quite so great as in previous years, and the reduction in Pacific Mail and Canadian Pacific steamer rates (some of those steamors calling in at Amoy for part cargotal enabled shippers to send forward a considerable quantity by those routes, and by so doing made it less necessary to hurry off Teas by Sucz steamers. One of the chief features of this year's Formosa Ten business was the short yield of really desirable Teas : the quality of a small portion of the spring

crop (composed of Teas from best districts)

was equal to former years, but the crop ge-

nerally was inferior to former seasons. The Dust question, which during the winter months of 1888 occupied the attention of the members of the Amoy Chamber of Commerce, was, as in many former years, placed before the Chinese teamen here, in the shape of a notification regulating the amount of Dust to be allowed by the trade. | assume the title of Queen-Regent for the and stating penalties for non-compliance with the Chamber's regulations. A copy of the notification was sent to the Governor of the island, hoping to culist his sympathies therewith. No doubt these notifications do will be crowned King of England and good, and have done good, but only to a Emperor of India. very small extent. The penalty, when carried out, in the case of excess of Dust be- o'clock in the morning of ten and tonst youd a certain per-centage, has had more effect than anything else. The bulk of At 5 o'clock in the afternoon she has tea packers, however, refuse to acknowledge and crackers, and her dinner consists of any distation, and continually transgress | cher soup, underdone beef, chicken salad the rules laid down; and so numerous were and cluret. She is not allowed any beer, the instances of this during the apring months that a larger per-centage of Dust and broken lenf was finally allowed by

encing the deterioration of China Tea. Is or drinks beer at a bar. may here romark that this matter was brought to the attention of the High Auhouse, as was pointed out by one of the and one battery of horse artillery. The turns show no movement in Tea carried butter. constwise for home consumption; and loud The latter awears that in many vital THE PRINCE OF WALES RECEIVED WARMLY complaints are heard from every Tes port points Mrs Halleti's breach of the mar-

unlimited market in China for low-class | Case will soon come before the public. there, whereas we notice that cheap Japanese Tea, Dust, etc., fare brought to Tientsin son and heir of Earl Paulett, who has made and the other northern ports, to the exclu- bimself notorious by laying the part of a sion of the Chinese product, because, it is clown in pantomimes, and who has also unbelieved, of the high rate of Export and dergone imprisonment for robbery, was Coast Trade Du'y, - Japan Teas being free grinding an organ accompanied by his wife. from the latter charge,

of Tea, my informant adds ;-If the Formosan plantations were treat. clerkship on the Stock Richange, perb, the bright clear day being remarkably ed in the same way as Indian or Ceylon The offer was loudly declined in the to Bismarck's residence, where the ex-

rapidity of the fire was like the roll of a on the tastes of Americans as they used to

however, that the room was kept for public from the experiment made to day that the ticle there has been a marked increase doctrine into his own hands to save the if \$14,000 is expended annually on the department, unless he displays a different We hear that six Spanish men-of-war may permitted there, and we think that as repartment, unless he displays a different We hear that six Spanish men-of-war may permitted there, and we think that as readds at least 10 per cent to its vulnerability. cial Table No. 2; but favourable as the pamphlet has caused a sensation. be expected to arrive in Singapore next gards him he was guilty of the offence men- Consequently it is felt that the pictures que bligures for 1889 may appear, compared with month, the Spanish Government having de- tioned in the same section, namely, permit- red trousers with all their glorious tradic those given for comparison, they only reserve the public than to gratify his own termined to increase the squadron now in ting any person to play within a room kept tions are now doomed. Another reason for present about a quarter of what shipments birthday gifts is anusing. It includes two with whom his peculiar relations crossed Chinese waters. There are now six vessels for the purpose of public gambling. We hastening this revolution in the Fronch's used to average 10 years ago. The high mastiffs, forty-three drinking curs, over a such a scandal in Berlin nine years ago. stationed at the Philippines. The flegship are satisfied that he permitted the witness uniform is the fact that in the German price of Coal created wdemand in excess of hundred long pipes, three hunting guns, and brought about her divorge. will be the Castilla, and she, with her Wong Yau and others to play in army rifle schools the targets are composed; the output of the mines, and vessels ex- much tobacco, dozons of cases, innumerpurpose of of mannikins in French infailtry uniform. perienced great delay in obtaining cargo, able packages of preserves, cakes and canpublic gaming, and that being so we German roldiers are trained to judge the Like year's exports 43,419 tons, has only dies, sent by farmers wives, barrels of think it convenient to exerceie the powers distance for sighting their rifles by the once been exceeded, in 1881. The Gov. eggs, sides of bacon, ensurent and an WE note that the Secretary of the Pahang mentioned in Ordinauce 4 of 1:58, which visibility of red trousers in combination criment coal-names worked with Foreign enormous salmon from Wales. Exploration and Development Company enable as to amend the determination of with the beltplates and buttons, which give appliances under Native management do (Limited) announces that a satisfactory re- the Magistrate without sending the case | them the range with the accuracy of a shot appear to have ever produced satisfacfory results. During the year under reengineer on the result, so far, of his defendant the conviction is amended by It was also the opinion of the military view His Excellency the Governor entered prospecting for gold in the Brah Concession, finding him guilty of having permitted per- men on the field to-day that smokeless pow- into an agreement with a British firm, as well as a confirmation of the cablegrams sons to play in a room kept for public der will greatly modify the present system transferring the mines to it, and granting it discovered by the fact that a decoy train, published during last month of the dis- gambling. This is not the same offence of of tactics of European armies. Invisible a concession to work the Coal-beds near supposed to contain the Czar and his suite, covery of gold there. - Singapore Free Press. which he has been found guilty, and it foes lannebing invisible thunderholds at Kelung for an extended period. It was was wrecked by rocks placed on the rails. seems to us an offence that may be deemed each other is to be the characteristic of the hoped that, under the improved management guaranted under this agreement, an explosive on the grounds of the imperial where a council of men of honor, to which

> likely to remain in state oue. Resente: The collection for 1883 was relapsos of influenza, which compelled him the largest made since the port was opened to postpone audiences. His condition is Germans residing in the suburbs of the to Foreign Trade. Table No. VII shows not serious, that the Revenue for the year just ended London, April 4 -- Advices from St. been taken so that German residents withis only short of the figures of the previous Petersburg reaffirm the reports of the cerious out means of subsistence may be sent to 12 months by Hk, Tls. 7,439.0.8.6 -a small | condition of affairs in Russia. The Czar is Germany,

5,034 piculs—in the export of Tea as the railway has not made the progress antici. Trouble is certain to follow. pated in last Report. Traffic is not opened be; end Shui-ting-kah, a little more than University attacked General Grosser, the well-known men in London and Paris helped months, a member of the senior Ton hong half-way; but what length is opened is well chief of the St. Petersburg police. He was to dispose of the bonds. patronised by passengers. Four trains run thrown to the floor and kicked by his andaily each way between T'nipoi and Shui- sailants. Season 1889-90 must be considered for ting kab. Engineering difficulties have remany reasons one of the most extraordin- turded the extension of the line towards was solely on account of educational mat- respondent, has been finally settled. ary seasons experienced since the com- the terminus at Kelung. A deep cutting ters. In proof of this they assembled and mencement of the Ten trade here. In the through which the read was projected has sang God Preserve the Czar. The Czer hirst place, season 1888-89 having proved a most remunerative one for Native planters much labour, the line being now laid round the higher public education of the higher public educational railway towards Chang-hus have thought, would have increased—that hut are not open to traffic. The wooden is that picking would be more artistics. first-place, season 1888-89 having proved a been abandoned after an expenditure of was greatly incensed because of the disturbis, that picking would be more extensive, railway bridge across the Tamsui River be- the growth of disaffection, that there would, in fact, be more flushes low Twatutia was opened in August, and last your than there really were; and money | there is now considerable foot traffic across

son would have been in excess of any tervals alongside the north bank.

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL

EUNORS THAT QUEEN VICTORIA WILL BETIRE London, March 31. - It is now stated on the highest official authority, as well as being a matter of gossip in Parliament and at the clubs, that the Queen is seriously considering the step of abdicating the British throne. The recent reception of the Prince of Wales by the German Emperer has had a great effect on the aged Queen, who is now convinced that her son ought to have a chance to play the leading role in England during the rest of her life, which is certain to be short.

The Queen's bodily infirmities are increasing, and she is so rapidly running-to flesh that massage is necessary to assist her breathing. One strong objection of the Queen to abdicating is the contingency of being called ex-Queen. Sho wishes to rest of her life.

A special kill will be introduced into Parliament when she is willing to resign the actual throne, and the Prince of Wales

The Queen's daily food consists at C and a chop, stale bread and cocoa at noun. champagne or vegetables."

At Aix the Queen passes a quiet evening with Princess Beatrice and Prince Henry Amoy buyers than the notification atipula- of Battenberg, playing the piano, singing and playing cribbage. Poor Battenberg Touching the question of a large admix. finds this dreadfully dull, and, after the ture of Tea Dust, Refuse, Stelks, broken Quoen has retired for the night, he sn aks lest, etc., as being one of the causes infig. out and amokes his pipe by the louely ses STILL ANOTHER SCANDAL

London, April 1 .- Colonel Bughes-Halthorities at Puling, and to that of His Ex. left has decided to apply for a divorce from cellency the Governor of Formosa, with the his wife, formerly Miss Emily Schaumberg suggestion that the high rate of Tariff Duty of Philadelphis. The proceedings will be on the above-named articles might be re- based on Mrs. Hallett's alleged misconduct tween common gaming and public gaming Dragoons, two batteries of field artiflery, that charged on the finest Tea. Our Re- a detective whom he employed and of the

keeping a common gaming house but the sweeping bend of the Marne just before of the damaging effects on China Tea pro- riage contract entitles her husband to a duced by the large admixture of Dust and legal separation or even a divorce, and a here on his way back from Berlin. He was other extraneous matter, which is rapidly third of her income. Hallelt confronted received with more than the usual impress. On Londonirg house was a place kept for gain and batteries of artillery were intrusted with I wering the value of China Teas in the his wife with the butler's affidavit and a ment. It is noted, however, that the Prince terrific row took place. Mrs. Hallett packed is aging rapidly. He has a worn-out, wearled No one can doubt that there must be an her trunks and left for the Continent. The look, and walks like a feeble man. These AN ECCENTRIC VISCOU . PLIYS AN ORGAN AND HIS WIFE COLLECTS COPPEES.

London, April 1.-A scene occurred in the Strand this eft. ruoon. Viscount Hinton, An ariatogratio looking gentleman approach. grains, He apont the day quietly with his Continuing the remarks on the prepara. ed them, and sudsavored to persuade the erratic Viscount to desist, offering him a

plintations, the total production would be presence of some old people. Hinton then Chancellor was serenaded with patriotic considerably la ger, and if the same care became very excited, and swore that he songs, Bismarck spoke. After thanking was now tik n with the picking of leaves would never after his course of life until bis visitors, the Prince walked the entire on large plantations as was used in the har. his father dies. During this exhibition length of the procession and was greeted

THE MEAT FAMINE IN BERLIN.

export pays.

A PAMPHLET IN PRAISE OF EMPEROR

think the evidence sustains that charge, labors, in comparison with the sober blue In will be seen fr my Table No. the Emperor has adopted the social symbolize union, and I trust that you will

BISMARCK'S BIRTHDAY GIFTS. Berlin, April 8 .- The list of Bismarck's is married to the Princess de Consolates. THE UNHAPPY CZAR,

abandoned his proposed hunting trip in Poland on account of a plot to throw the imperial train off the track. This was The police at Gatschina have discovered coaling station tut as the contract was not sequence renounced the idea of going there

fratified by the High Authorities, affairs are to finish Lent. The Czar for two days has suffered from

Exports. - As will be seen on reference decrease, accounted for by the reduced re- suffering from nervous fiver. The scheme for the Russification of Finland is received General Remarks. The Taipei Kelung with extreme disfavor in that country. Spanish and Italian bonds has been caught

TURKEY GIVEN NOTICE. Constantinople, April 4.—Russia has deck is a liar and has driven him to bankhaving been made, it was natural to sup- it. Junks and up-river Tea beats pass, notified Turkey that the sums paid on ac- ruptcy. He also says that his wife's forp so that the quantity produced this sea- through it by a swing span, opened at in. count of arrears of the war indemnity and tune is sufficient to pay all his debts. the securities given for the payment thereof In the way of new industries, it may be are not sufficient, and, therefore, if the new mentioned that muchinery for making loan which Turkey proposes to raise is sub. Dr. O'Dohorty as Bishop of Derry, at which patent fuel from Coal dust is in course of scribed for, she will demand priority for service Dr. O'Donnell the Bishop of erection at Kelung by an enterprising Chi. payment of her claims before the money is Raphoo, presided, has drawn attention to

Paris, March 84 -Jules Simon says that Ireland will be free. he considers Emperor William is sincerely solicitous for the welfare of the working classes. He says that the decisions of the

for Germany, but will not advance French | and of the present week, but that the fact logislation much PREPARING TO WORK IN WARM NY. Berlin, March 31 - Negotiations have been entered into by the respective chief officers for the establishment of thorough

co-operation by German and English trades London, March 31, -Michael Davitt ins

resume work immediately. FOUNDERED AC SEA. Vulparaiso, March 29th .- It is learned off the coast. Forty of the crew and forty.

one passengers were saved. It is not known if any perished. CERNAN SPIES IN FRANCE. Paris, March 29th, -A German spy has princes, who are Prussian generals and been arrested at Epinal. Documents were aged respectively 68 and 58 years, have

frontier. A NEW APIDEMIC. Presburg, April 3. -An epidemic affecting childless, Prince Leopold being a bachelor, the eyelids has caused the disbandment of a it was recently decided, for ressume of state. regiment of Pioneers. Only forly out of that he had better marry; so, two or three 570 men escaped. Many became blind. Sundays ago, the two princes talked mate

been sleeping three days. There are several manded that in case of his marriage his similar cases at Neustadt. BUFFALO PHL'S SHOW. Milan, April 3.—Buffalo Bill's Wild West | kindly to the proposition, and said that if show still continues to excite Italy. Twenty. Leopold could not afford to support a two thousand Milaness assembled to-day princess as his wife he should try to marry to witness the opening performance and a rich girl of lesser rank,

gave the company a great reception. The bucking horses, the stagecoach and the Indians kept the great audience wild with excitement. ELECTIONS IN PORTUGAL Lisbon, March 30 .- General electious oc.

Paris, April 3. - The Prince of Wales is evidences of physical decadence corroborate the recent reports of the Prince's illness. PISMARCK HONORED ON HIS BIRTHDAY.

Beilin, April L. To-day is the seventy. fifth auniversary of the biethday of Biamarck. The railway station at Fried. richaruhe is almost blocked by the renormous number of presents arriving for the Prince. During the day Bismarck received numberiess congratulatory tela-

I welve hundred railroad men formed a toroblight procession to night and marched . away the tears that stood in bis eyes. His

speech is regarded as proof of his keen and was defined to be any person appearing or advantage of every bush, ridge and undula- lier days of the trade, there would be no Berlin, April 1. In consequence of the unimpaired intelligence and maryelous acting as master or as having the care or tion, and admirably handled by their com- complaints about the scarcity of choice Teas, meat famine purveyors are urging the memory. Besides his portrait, the Emmanagement of any house, room, office, made a most effective counter at. The choicest leaves are the young delicate Bundesrath to repeal the law against the peror William sent a handsome pipe and

> After the procession Herr Woermann, in the course of conversation, expressed the hope that the Prince would not be altoge-Munich, April 1 .- A beer riot is expected ther a stranger to politics and that he here. The brewers have raised the price would still take part in the debates in the of beer two pfennigs per glass, on the Reichstag. To this Bismarck make an

A committee, headed by President Von Levelzow of the Reichstag, embracing all shades of political opinion, issues an invitation for public subscriptions to build a Vienna, April 3.-A telegram from national monument at Berlin in honor of

COUNT HERBERT BISMARCK. Berlin, April 1. -It is not clear whether the weight of public opinion seems to incline It states that a secret society, including to the latter hypothesis. In giving him the

The Reichs Anzeiger announces the appointment of Baron Bieborstein to b Foreign Secretary of State.

New York, April 1 .- A Journal special from Berlin says : Count Herbert Bismarok

A MONSTER WAR BALLOON. Berlin, March 4 .- Edward Damm of the United States army is miking a sonsation here by an experiment with a monster balicon for war purposes. This balloon is called Bismarck. It is lighted by electricity St. Petersburg, April 4.—The Czar has and capable of signaling at a tremendous distance. The machine will, it is said, be adopted in the German army.

SUPPRESSION OF DUELING Berlin, April 4. In accordance with the views expressed by the Emperor recently a Cabinet order has just been issued forbidding dueling in the army except in cases Keling would become a most important palace. The imporial family has in con- all the circumstances shall have been referred, shall declare that a duel is necessary.

THE GERMANS TO BE COUNTED. Paris, April 4.—It is reported that the Government has ordered a consus of the city. It is understood that the stop has

London, April 4 .- A gang of forgers of at Trieste. The forgeries amount to The students of the St. Petersburg +25,000,000 francs. It is stated that many THE O'SHEA CASE SETTLED.

FORGED BONDS.

London, April 4. - It is rum red that the The students declare that the agitation Califordiverce case, in which Parnell is co-BALFOUR'S BILL DOOMED. Landon, April 4 .- The Davy News de-

Duchess of Albany, advertises in the leading journals that the reigning Prince of Wal-

AN OLD TRIBIT PROPERCY. London, April 1.-The consecration of

the old Irial prophecy that when O'Doherty rules Derry and O'Donuell Raphoe. THE DUKE OF CREEKE Paris, April 1.-It is reported that the young Duke of Orleans will be released Labour Conference will be a great stride from imprisonment at Clairvaux before the of his release will not be allowed to become

known until he is enfely across the frontier. VERDIOT AGAINST THE COPPER TRUST. Paris, April 1 .- A verdict for 1,018,400 france damages and costs of action was returned to-day in the suit of Gibbs & Sons against the Societa des Metanx."

HE MURDERED RICHT WOMEN. Vienna, April 1 .- A man convicted of the arranged terms for a sattlement of the murder of eight women was hanged to-day. Liverpool dock at ike. Both sides agree to in Szegedin, Hungary. He exhibited great cowardice on the scaffold.

A SERIOUS QUARREL IN GERMANY. D. esden, April 4 -Court circles are an that the British steemer Gulf of Aden foun- joying a scandal in the little principality of dered on the 13th inst., one hundred miles Schwarzburgh - Sonders - hausen. Prince Leopold, brother of the reigning severeign, Prince Charles, has removed all his things from the palace, where he has been living for years, to a hotel. Hitherto bothfound on him showing that there exists on | been great chums, their intimacy even goorganized system of espionage of Franch ing so far as to include the keeping of a forts and camps along the Franco-German small harem on equal chares of the ex-

Prince Charles, although married, is Casset, April 3.—The sleeping d seese is ters over while at supper in the Capino Club spreading. A woman at Sluckton has at Sonders hausen. Prince Loopold deallowance of \$5000 per annum should be increased. The elder Prince did not take

This offended Prince Leopold and he left the club abruptly. He was on his way home to the castle when he was overtaken by Prince Charles, who speeringly repeated his advice. Prince Leopold viciously turned on his brother, bit him in the face, and a curred to day throughout Portugal for mem. | fistic battle then ensued between the brobers of the Cortes. The Government can thers, who were both in mufti. The sendidates were aucoensful against the so-called tries who were pacing the road to the castle African candidates, except in the cares of did not dars interfere, but some officers Serpa Pinto and Castillos, who were elected. arrived opportunely, and they, by shielding The Government has a strong majority. the reigning Prince with their bodies; suc-

Exchange. Bongwong, April 30, 30 days' with 4 months sight, Credita, 4 Documentary, 4 months viate 3,4 On Paris Credita, 4 months might, at 4.19 On Berlin-Ou demand, ... On New York Credits, 60 days sight, On Bombay-On Osloutia-On demand, ... On Shang auby the 8 p.m. car to the upper ferminus, absence of any of the suspicious circum—thundered away at the little village and where their coolies may obtain them by stances which canally appointed public was replied to with vigor. In a few Japan Teas are imported at 5 per cent, coppers, and the goodnatured gentlem in siderable emotion and was obliged to wipe Gold Leaf. Out been appearant to the formal and the lears of the constitution of the cons

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